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Easter Services Are Slated For Churches of Area

Special Music, Programs To Feature Services In All Churches

Special services in all the churches of the region are being programmed for Easter Sunday.

In the Truckee Community Methodist Church, a Sunday School program will be presented at 10 o'clock with Easter music and recitations. Eugene Risden will speak at the church services slated for 11 a.m.

Two special numbers, "God So Loved the World" from the Crucifixion and "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" by Bach will be sung on Easter morning by the Methodist Community choir, under the direction of Victor McLain.

The group has been consistently practicing for several weeks and special practice is scheduled for this evening. They will wear robes on Sunday, which were the gifts from the Riverbank Methodist choir.

Friday evening a pot luck supper to be followed by a Good Friday Devotional service and the quarterly conference, presided over by Superintendent D. W. Throckmorton will be held, the supper starting at 6:30.

Special Easter Day services are scheduled for the Christian Science Group at the Wyethia clubhouse at 11 a.m. The subject will be "Doctrine of Atonement". The public is invted to join in the services.

Easter services will be held in the Catholic Churches at Truckee, Kings Beach and Tahoe City, Father P. J. O'Neill announced. Masses will be held at Soda Springs at 8 a.m., at Tahoe City at 8:30, at Kings Beach at 10:30 and at Squaw Valley at 9:30. High Mass at Truckee is scheduled for 9:30 a.m.

Catholic services for Easter week began with Spy Wednesday and Holy Thursday will be observed tonight with rosary and a sermon at 8 p.m. and three hours of devotion starting with mass of presanctified at noon will mark the Good Friday observance. Holy Saturday ceremonies begin at 8 a.m.

The Sunday school at Tahoe City is presenting an Easter program at 10 a.m. featuring special music and a cantata by the children. Rev. Wetmore will preach the Easter services at 11 a.m. Sunday.

Rev. Covher will preach the Easter services at the Wee Kirk of the Pines at Kings Beach and there too special music is planned.

DRIVER PINNED IN TRUCK CAB WHEN MOTOR EXPLODES

Charles E. Huss, 24, truck driver from Billings, Montana, was hurt last night at 9:45 o'clock when the motor of his vehicle, loaded with produce, apparently exploded while coming down Donner Grade.

State Patrolman William Gautsche said parts of the motor were strewn for a quarter of a mile up the highway.

Huss "banked" the big vehicle and when he did the load shifted and the driver was pinned in the cab. He was removed and taken to the hospital by Truckee ambulance.

DEADLINE TODAY FOR FILING TAXES

Tonight is the deadline for filing state income tax returns without penalty, Robert C. Kirkwood, chairman of the franchise tax board announced.

All single persons with net incomes of $2,000 or more, and married couples with a combined net income of $3,500 or more, must file 1953 returns.

Mrs. Buell Named Head Of Nevada City Group

Mrs. T. T. Buell of Grass Valley and formerly of Truckee, was elected president of the Nevada County Tuberculosis and Health Association at a meeting held in Nevada City last Tuesday, to serve in that capacity for the coming year.

Truckee will be represented on the Board of Directors by Mesdames Robert Bick, Everett O'Rourke, Walter Loynd, Lynn Kishbaugh, Howard Newsham, P. A. Patnoude and Dr. George Hahn.

Has Operation

Superior Judge James Snell underwent surgery at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota, last Friday, according to word received here and stood the ordeal very well. He will remain at the hospital for about 10 days after the operation and will convalesce for another 10 days before thinking about returning to the west coast.

Truckee Post Office In Line for Expansion If Bill Is Approved

The post offices in Nevada City and Truckee stand a chance of getting long delayed expansion needs attended to if the new federal public building act passes Congress.

The bill has passed the House and has been revised by a Senate public works committee, headed by Senator Thomas H. Kuchel.

The California senator says the legislation authorizes a lease-purchase plan enabling the federal government to acquire post offices and other buildings in much the same way individuals buy new homes. Agencies could make contracts with builders for new structures the government would occupy and pay for over periods of years. The government would have sole rights of occupancy for the term of the lease and get full title to the building after the initial cost is amortized.

Senator Kuchel says Nevada City and Truckee are on the backlog of space demands and would be eligible with high priority for their expansion projects as soon as the law passes.

Firemen Plan Increasing Size of Station To Add Additional Equipment

A discussion on the possibility of increasing the size of the Truckee fire house to permit installation of a second piece of fire fighting equipment featured Tuesday night's meeting of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department held at Cozzi's Cafe. Twenty members and two commissioners attended the session which was presided over by Chief N. F. Dolley.

The recent annexation of property into the district makes enlargement of the fire fighting facilities necessary, the department was told. While no action was taken the matter of a new truck and enlarged fire station are being studied.

Chief Dolley announced that an extensive fire fighting school, conducted by Phillip Foster, said to be a graduate in this type of instruction, will be started Friday evening between 6 and 7 p. m. at the fire station and all members are asked to attend. The classes will be continued for some time, Dolley said.

Dolley criticized the lack of attendance by the firemen at meetings as well as responding to calls.

SCOUTS RETURN AS CAMP PERIOD ENDS

Scout Master Clarence Osborn and 25 Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts returned from a two day trip into Bear Valley on Monday and Tuesday. A 14 mile hike was taken into Eagle Lake when the boys found it frozen over and fishing poor. They initiated the new scout trailer, belonging to Osborn for the trip, and were given transportation to and from the destination by Ray Pitts, Ernest Kohl, I. Firpo, Dave Medford who returned home during the encampment.

Osborn said that the trip was in preparation for the annual camporee to be held 8 miles west of Grass Valley on April 24-25, and that transportation is needed for the coming event. Any one volunteering may contact him before these dates.

DONNA BARNES IS HURT IN ACCIDENT

Donna Barnes, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnes, was treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital for a severely injured left hand suffered in an accident while playing at her home. Donna was climbing a cable swing when she apparently slipped, a strand of the heavy wire piercing her hand and inflicting a wicked wound. Dr. George Hahn attended her.

Home Again—

The J. M. Siple family is again at Tahoe Vista after spending several months at Glendale.

Hoskins Here—

Richard Hoskins was here this week in the interest of his candidacy for sheriff of Nevada County.

Travel Drops On All Highways For Month of March

Truckee Maintains Sixth Place As Traffic Shows Drop

Although travel into California during March by way of the Truckee quarantine station showed a marked gain over February when Highway 40 was closed for nearly two weeks by a rock slide west of Verdi in Nevada, it did not come up to the mark set during the same month a year ago.

The monthly report by the department of agriculture, showed that 17,393 cars, 2,928 commercial vehicles and 518 buses, with a total passenger count of 64,042, were checked at the Truckee station during March.

This compares with 9,962 cars for February and 16,720 for January. During March, 1953, 20,372 cars were inspected at the local station. This represents a drop of 3,000 for March this year as against a year ago.

Travel generally was less, however, and Truckee still maintained first place among the northern California stations, being exceeded only by Blythe, Daggett, Fort Yuma, and Yermo in southern California.

On Highway 50 where the check is made at Meyer on Lake Tahoe, only 3,671 cars, 242 trucks and one bus were checked, which again indicates the popularity of Highway 40 as the main trans-continental route over the Sierra into northern California. During March, 1953, Meyers reported 3,806 cars.

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Incoming auto traffic recorded at California's plant quarantine border stations during March was down 10,000 from what it was a year ago.

According to the plant quarantine bureau's report for the month, the passenger car count decreased from 204,811 a year ago to 194,702. The number of passengers, including bus travelers, dropped from 599,384 to 571,293.

VERNON WILL TALK AT CHAMBER MEET

C. W. Vernon of Tahoe City will attend the next meeting of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday and will discuss the proposed dredging of the upper portion of the Truckee River as proposed under the bureau of reclamation program. Sportsmen here are vitally interested in the project and a good turnout for the session to be held at Brown's Cafe is anticipated.

Newsham Celebrates With Dummy Cake

The birth date of Howard Newsham was celebrated at a party complete with cake given by employes of the Pacific Telephone Co. on Wednesday. In the evening a dummy cake was presented to Newsham at the meeting of the Lions Club and another decorated cake was also enjoyed.

All the pastries came from Stewart's Bakery.

Staff At Hospital Has Anniversary Party

The staff and other employes of Tahoe-Forest Hospital joined in an afternoon party on Wednesday when the second anniversary of the hospital was observed.

A special decorated cake given by Stewart's Bakery and coffee were served during the annual event.

DATE SET

The Nevada County Board of Supervisors has been advised by Superintendent of Schools Johns that he has set June 1st as the date for hearing on a request to annex the Lake Spaulding area into the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District.

Sees Friends—

Mrs. M. Phillips and daughter of San Francisco met local friends last week end.

SUNBEAMS

By WALTER M. BARRETT

The year 1953 saw more than two million casualties—the worst automobile accident toll in the nation's history — recorded on our streets and highways. This shocking record sets the year aside as a shameful one. The Travelers Insurance Companies of Hartford, Connecticut, report 38,500 people killed and 2,140,000 injured in 1953. Traffic deaths increased 900 and injuries jumped over 1952.

Three out of four auto accidents happened to passenger cars driving in clear weather on dry roads. Eight per cent of the vehicles involved in fatal accidents were traveling straight ahead. There are hundreds of splendid safety organizations in this country dedicated to safety education. Many insurance firms make major efforts in this direction. In hundreds of communities, civic clubs have taken on the job of spreading safety information and education. State and community authorities have spent millions of dollars in an effort to provide safer and better roads and highways. Driver training program at all age levels are aimed toward safer and saner driving. State, county and local police are constantly patrolling streets and highways. It appears to us that almost everyone is concerned with this needless slaughter and its accompanying waste of human and property values. Almost everyone, that is, but the drivers. The problem starts and could ideally end with the drivers. Who are the drivers? Each one of us knows the answer to that question. Let each one of us ponder these latest grim figures and then determine a proper and safer and saner course of action.

Communities Schedule Easter Egg Hunts For Children Next Sunday

The traditional egg hunts will delight scores of children throughout this district Sunday.

The Truckee 20-30 Club is sponsoring the local event with Jack Ellis as chairman of the committee. All children up to the age of 14 are invited to participate and everyone will meet at the elementary school at 2 p. m. and proceed from there to the hunting ground. Prizes will be offered in two classes.

Tahoe City area children up to 10 years are invited to the Tahoe City Easter egg hunt which will be held at the Tahoe Commons starting at 1 p. m. Sunday. Pete Vanni is chairman of the committee from the Tahoe City Fire Department which is sponsoring the event. Last year 130 children enjoyed the event.

A hunt will be staged at the Brockway theater Saturday afternoon at 1 p. m. for the Kings Beach youngsters, according to word from there.

Official Visitor Will Attend OES Session

Truckee Chapter, No. 116 Order of the Eastern Star will receive an official visit from Lois Hartwell, deputy grand matron of the 5th district at the meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 20, promptly at 8 p. m. Dorothy King and Dan Anderson will preside. All work is to be exemplified.

A dinner will be held at Donner Lake Lodge at 6:30 which members of the lodge and their families will attend. Reservations for the dinner may be made by contacting Theresia Buddle, general chairman.

Visit Relatives—

Mrs. Paul Kaspian returned last week end after taking their children, Billy and Rosalie to Los Banos and Paula to San Leandro to spend the vacation with relatives.

Probe Of Third Robbery in Month Made By Officers

Theft of Copper Wire From Power Company Yard Reported Here

Truckee and county officers are today investigating the third of a series of robberies reported in this area during the past month.

F. W. Gaiennie, superintendent for the Sierra Pacific Power Company here, Monday reported to Constable N. F. Dolley that 800 pounds of No. 4 copper wire, valued at more than $300, had been stolen during the weekend from the company's storage yard on Church street.

The heavy copper was apparently taken from a large spool. Dolley said no clues were left by the thieves.

Constable Dolley and Deputy Sheriff Roy Waters are continuing their investigation into the alleged theft of more than 5,000 gallons of gasoline from the Shell Company plant, also on Church street. The gasoline was taken, Manager Jack Ellis said, sometime during the weekend of April 3rd.

No trace of the thief or thieves has been found and this week Ellis and Wallace Watkins, manager for the Richfield Oil Company, which has a storage plant adjoining Shell, are offering a $100 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the culprits.

Dolley and Waters announced this week that an official from the trucking company which lost 1,500 pounds of frozen chicken, consigned to the Campbell Soup Company, while the truck was disabled near Floriston a month ago, is reported en route to California to make a personal inquiry into the loss which was estimated at $700 or more.

Sheriff Wayne Brown and Deputy Frank Gallino were here Tuesday investigating the theft of the wire as well as making inquiry into the loss of the gasoline and chickens.

BREAKDOWN DELAYS OPENING OF MILL

A breakdown in the new band saw equipment, which necessitated partial dismantling of the mill has delayed for a few days the opening the Stockton Box Company's operations at Truckee.

Repairs are expected to be completed next week at which time the production will commence.

George Kaspian of the Truckee Lumber Company, which supplies logs to the mill, said he will start hauling within the next few days.

Cafe Reopened

The California Cafe, owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. Polyanich, is reopening today after undergoing decorating of the interior, in preparation for the summer season.

Mrs. Polyanich, who recently underwent surgery, has returned home and will soon occupy her position at the popular eating place.

Plan Benefit Dance

Lake Forest residents of the Lake Forest comunity are arranging an Easter Monday dance for April 19th at Bacci's Inn for the purpose of raising funds for the Tahoe City ambulance. Everyone is welcome and no admission will be charged.

REGISTER TODAY

Today is the final day for residents to register for the June 8th primary election. Those who did not vote at the last general or primary election, those wishing to change their party affiliation or those who have moved or been placed in a new precinct are required to re-register.

Out of Hospital—

After two months in the Army Hospital at Fort Benning, Georgia, for treatment of a knee injury, Pvt. Ned R. Stuart, son of the J. R. Stuarts of Tahoe City, has been returned to duty at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Softball League Will Be Planned At Meeting To Be Held Here Monday

At a meeting of the Truckee Athletic Club scheduled for Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the Truckee elementary school, plans for the forthcoming softball season will be discussed and if possible a league formed.

President Daven Morey said it had been indicated that five or six teams will be formed from various local organizations and he urged that anyone interested in the sport be present at the meeting.

Organizations or other sponsors wishing to enter a team in the league may contact either Morey or Robert Leamon, chairman of the TAC's softball committee.

From the various local teams it is hoped to select an all-star team to represent the Truckee Athletic Club in inter-city contests.

It is evident that Truckee this season will not have a hard-ball team, Morey said, since there is a shortage of key players and the club is not financially able to import hurlers or other players. That will add to the feasibility of organizing good softball units to provide games.

While the ball park is still to soft to permit practice, Morey and Leamon said they would endeavor to get a bulldozer on the field and level it off in the near future and provide a good practice diamond during the time the teams are getting in shape for the season.

The California State Employes Association and the 20-30 Club have already indicated their intention of forming teams.

FIGHTER BASE IN SIERRA VALLEY IS PROPOSED TO U. S.

Dr. Oliver Scow, Truckee dentist, is a member of the Portola Development Committee which is currently sponsoring a movement to have the U. S. Air Force establish a fighter base in Sierra Valley.

The program has developed to a point where plans and specifications are being prepared for presentation to air force officials and a recent visit to San Francisco brought encouraging reports. A. J. Watson, county engineer and Frank Nervino, manager of the Beckwourth airport, reported they had discussed the matter quite thoroughly with west coast officers and while no promises had been made, they were given an encouraging reception.

Dr. Scow said the committee is seeking endorsements from county and city officials in an area bounded by Quincy, Reno, Portola and Truckee.

It is the intention of the group to contact government representatives and others for support of the plan.

The feasibility of the fighter base as a strategic location was pointed out by Dr. Scow. It would be located east of the Sierra in a spot near the coastal area and thus provide an adequate protective base. The terrain, he said, is ideal and no shortage of landing space would be encountered. Weather conditions would be good.

Silver Belt Trophy Race Slated For April 25th

The Sugar Bowl, popular winter sports center on Donner Summit, is preparing to wind up its most successful season with a number of scheduled events. Topping the list will be the 12th annual Silver Belt Race, scheduled for April 25th.

This classic annually attracts scores of the west's top skiers and socialites to climax the season's activities in a grand style.

Easter Sunday is also planned as a big day at the Bowl with the annual Easter breakfast slated for 8 a. m. to be followed by the Walt Disney Trophy Race and the Easter Bonnet Parade, the latter on the lodge porch where the most amazing and comic hat creations will be in evidence.

Saturday at 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. the Sugar Bowl Junior Championships will be staged. A torchlight parade, the Mt. Disney champagne obstacle dance and other programs will be offered.

Plans Scheduled For Observance Of Schools Week

Week of April 26 to 30 Is Designated For Public Schools Week

The teachers and administrators and members of the governing board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, together with a committee from the Truckee Masonic Lodge No. 200 and parents committees have made plans for the commemoration of Public Schools Week April 26 to 30, inclusive.

Donner Trail School will hold open house on Monday, April 26, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The Kings Beach Elementary School will hold open house Tuesday, April 27, from 7 to 9 p. m. Students in the Kings Beach school will give short talks about the curriculum and what they are doing in the classrooms of the school.

Tahoe Lake school will hold open house on Wednehday, April 28, from 11 a. m. to 2:40 p. m. Classes will operate on the regular schedule. Visitors are invited to visit the kindergarten-first grade room from 11 a. m. to 12 noon; grades 2 to 4 from 12:50 to 1:40; grades 4-6 from 1:40 to 2:40.

The Truckee Elementary school will hold open house all week and operate the school on regular schedule. Each teacher will send home a copy of the daily program and an invitation for parents to visit at a specified time during the week. Baby-sitters will be available at the school.

The High School will hold open house all day Thursday, April 29. School will be operated on regular schedule. Refreshments will be served in the home-making room from 2 to 3:30 p. m. All faculty members will be available for discussion after 3:30 p. m.

Committees from the Masonic Order have planned to be present at all schools at various times during Public Schools Week. All parents, patrons and others are invited to visit the schools during this week.

INJURED AIRMAN IS TREATED HERE; OTHERS ARE HURT

One of the five Air Force men injured when a box of dynamite caps exploded in the hille southwest of Floriston last night about 7:30 o'clock, is in the Tahoe Forest hospital with severe lacerations and bruises and the other four were taken to Reno.

Details of the accident were not immediately revealed, but it was understood the five on a 50-day survival mission, found the box and upon opening it, the caps exploded.

Howard from Chanute Field, Ill., was brought to the hospital by the Truckee ambulance and is being treated by Dr. George Hahn.

FILM IS SHOWN AT MEETING OF LIONS

The discovery and development of pasteurization and the discovery of vitamins and their place in foods of today, featured the film, "Every Day Miracles," shown by Jack Stewart of the Truckee Bakery at last night's meeting of the Lions Club at Donner Lake Lodge. C. R. Heller presided at the session.

Guests included Stewart, John J. McGlade and Glenn Lee of Truckee and Webb Peterson of Stockton.

NEW FRONT FOR TOGGERY COMPLETE

The new sloping redwood front at the Shattuck Building, occupied by the Toggery is creating a lot of favorable comment. The entire front was remodeled, adding to the attractiveness of the store. The work was done under the direction of Carl Painter.

Safety Stencils Will Be Painted on Local Walks

Wyethia Club members are again reminded of the meeting to be held in Capitol Hall tomorrow evening when Howard Newsham, manager of the Pacific Telephone Co. here will present the program.

Refreshments will be served.

Members of the club will paint fire hydrants and safety stencils on sidewalks at the crosswalk during the weekend. They will maintain a safety corner at meetings throughout the year and further the project by giving truck drivers safety signs, now being made, according to Mrs. Fred Pedley, president and safety chairman.

Richard Joseph and sister, Mrs. Roxie Archie, returned this week from a trip to southern California, Nevada and Mexico.

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At Cal-Vada Lodge, Crystal Bay
HILLARD M. HOLMES
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TRUCKEE CHAPTER NO. 116 ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
Meets each first and third Tuesday of the month in the Masonic Building at Truckee.
DOROTHY KING,
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LOUISE ANDERSON,
Secretary.

ROTARY CLUB OF TAHOE CITY
Meets Tuesdays at 7:15 P.M. at Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.
HOWARD GUTH,
President
DENIS SACH,
Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets First and third Tuesday eac month at 6 p.m., Brown's Cafe.
HOWARD NEWSHAM, President
WINIFRED KAMP, Secty.

TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.
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C. E.MANDEVILLE, W.M.
J. D. ANDERSON, Secty.

TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month in Veteran Memorial Hall at 7 P. M.
JOHN STREET, Com.
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TRUCKEE 20-30 CLUB NO. 344
Meets Thursday at Donner Lake Lodge at 7: 30 P.M.
TOM PATTERSON, President
HUGH SMITH, Secretary

DONNER LODGE NO. 162 I. O. O. F.
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, at I.O.O.F. Hall, Truckee.
WAYNE PHILIPPI, Noble Grand
FRANK A. TITUS, Secretary.

Meets Wednesdays at 7 P. M. at Donner Lake Lodge.
CHARLES R. HELLER, President
TRUCKEE LIONS CLUB
ROY WATERS, Secretary

TRUCKEE ROTARY CLUB
Meets every Monday at 7 P. M. at Brown's Cafe
JOHNNY RICHARDS,
President
ORVAL VAUGHAN,
Secretary

TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124 FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall
RAY GUYMER, President
JOHN RAU, Secretary

SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Meet 2nd and 4th Friday at I. O. O. F. Hall, Truckee
Charles R. Heller, C. C.
Robert P. Bick, Secretary

ANOTHER BILL TO PROMOTE 40 TO 4 LANE IS FILED

Another bill to provide federal funds to widen Highway 40 over the Sierra Nevada to four lanes has been introduced in Congress.

The Associated Press reported Congressman Clifton Young (R) of Nevada introduced a measure in the House to appropriate $16,000,000 to the project over a four-year period.

"Recent developments concerning the evacuation of cities in the event of an atomic attack," Young declared, "make it imperative that this key highway be widened."

One of Several

Young's measure is one of several to widen the highway pending before Congress.

Congressman Harry McGregor (R) of Ohio has a bill, passed by the House earlier in the session, which would give the state $43,061,000 for federal highways during the next fiscal year compared with the current allocation of $29,912,000. The funds, if the federal bureau of public roads approves, could be used on the Highway 40 project.

Congressman Clair Engle (D) of Red Bluff, Tehama County, John E. Moss, Jr., (D) of the third, Sacramento Valley, district, and several other California congressmen have legislation pending. So do Senators Thomas H. Kuchel (R) and William F. Knowland (R) of California.

Okehed Expenditure

The California Legislature has approved the expenditure of $20,000,000 in state funds for the widening job if the federal government provides matching funds.

In pressing for the necessary funds to widen the trans Sierra highway California's lawmakers have stressed that the highway route is of vital military importance at the present time and in the event of war.

The Port of San Francisco has constructed a new cotton terminal designed exclusively for the efficient handling of this No. 1 export.

Planning a trip? Take along some paper bags in which to put trash that accumulates during the day. Then deposit the filled bag in a convenient roadside receptacle. It helps keep California's roadsides clean.

AFFAIRS OF STATE

by Henry C. MacArthur

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—While a good many Californians take a year-round interest in the public schools, nevertheless Public Schools Week, which will be observed this year beginning April 26, will give both those who maintain continuous interest, and those who need a stimulation of interest, an opportunity to determine whether some of the claims made by Roy E. Simpson, state superintendent of public instruction, are valid.

Writing in "California Schools," for March, 1954, on the subject of "Public Schools Week," Simpson points out that educational opportunities are available to all persons living in California.

It might be determined that one of the reasons the cost of education in this state is rapidly approaching a billion dollars annually, is as Simpson described that "these opportunities are sufficiently varied to meet the needs of individuals regardless of their age or ability."

Starting with the kindergarten, he points out that children four years and nine months old may enter. The kindergarten, he says, "helps children to acquire desirable personal habits, social proficiency and backgrounds of experience that play an important part in their success in the first grade."

Throughout the elementary program, Simpson points out that the child is treated as "a unique person."

"He is taught," Simpson says, "the things he needs to know, by methods that are helpful to him and by means that assure him opportunity to develop at a rate commensurate with his ability and to the full extent of his potentialities.

"The elementary school program stresses proficiency in the skills involved in reading, writing and arithmetic, while at the same time emphasizing children's social and physical needs."

Comes now the elementary school, where Simpson says "the program of instruction offered in California secondary schools prepares youth to enter any phase of living and to enjoy a reasonable measure of success in it."

The general program of secondary education, he says, includes in addition to the skill subjects, health and safety education and physical education, automobile driver education and the study of conservation.

Courses in the junior and state colleges during the first two years, Simpson says, "are planned to help students become better acquainted with themselves, to discover their aptitudes, and to choose ways in which they can use their abilities to the greatest advantage."

Adult education is the final step in the state's educational program.

"The program of adult education," says the superintendent of public instruction, "gives individuals of all ages the opportunities they need to acquire the learnings omitted in their earlier experience for the conservation and enrichment of values in their lives, or for development, improvement, or change of vocation or occupation."

Thus, it can be seen not only from the annual bill of education, but also from Simpson's description of the services offered, that the program in California is widely diversifed. An individual may, in fact, start out in kindergarten with finger-painting classes, and wind up in adult education with beadwork.

However, it is reasonably refreshing to know that Simpson mentions reading, writing and arithmetic, even if it is only to "stress proficiency in the skills." Public schools week may be a good time for the public schools to evaluate the program.

San Francisco's War Memorial Opera House is municipally owned and operated.
acre-feet.

OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

"WHAT'S THE YOUNGER GENERATION COMING TO?"
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1890s
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HUBERT MATHIEU
ESPECIALLY IN A PROGRESSIVE, DYNAMIC ENVIRONMENT LIKE OUR DEMOCRACY'S, THERE IS EVER THE PROBLEM OF EACH GENERATION ADAPTING TO THE NEXT- BUT IT ALWAYS DOES.
FOR OUR HERITAGE OF FREEDOM, OF INITIATIVE, ENTERPRISE AND THRIFT REPRESENTS AN AMERICAN TRADITION- CHERISHED BY BOTH FATHER AND SON.

OFFICERS TO STOP CARS WITHOUT TAB

Traffic officers may question motorists who fail to exhibit evidence of 1954 vehicle registration beginning last Friday, March 26.

Paul Mason, State Director of Motor Vehicles, has notified all traffic law enforcement agencies in the state that 1954 vehicle registrations applied for during the renewal period from January 4 through February 4 have been issued, with the exception of a few, applied for after February 1, which presented complicated problems. "These are being cleared up at a rapid rate," Mason said.

Visible evidence of registration issued for all vehicles registered in California comprises the single 1954 red tab, which should be attached to the rear license plate, and a 1954 registration card which should be displayed in plain sight in the driver's compartment of the vehicle. Any motorist who has not received the tab, should be able to display a receipt or other documents issued by Department of Motor Vehicles, as evidence that registration has been applied for.

The Zambezi River in Africa is approximately 1600 miles long.

Notice For Payment of County Taxes

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one half of the taxes on all real property for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1953 and ending June 30, 1954, will be due on November 1, 1953 and will be delinquent on the 10th day of December, 1953 at 5 o'clock p.m. and unless paid prior thereto six per cent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the 20th day of January, 1954 and will become delinquent on the 20th day of April, 1954 at 5 o'clock p.m. unless paid prior thereto six per cent will be added to the amount thereof together with a further charge of $1.00 for each lot, piece or parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property.

All taxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided is due and payable.

Taxes are payable at the Treasurer's and Tax collector's office, Nevada County Courthouse, Nevada City, California.

ELMA HECKER,
Ex Officio Collector and County Treasurer, Nevada City, California.

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Proving Will, Etc.
No. 5488
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
In and for the County of Nevada
In the Matter of the Estate of SURBER L. KLEIN, also known as S. L. KLEIN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Friday, the 16th day of April, 1954, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Nevada City, County of Nevada, has been appointed by me as the time and place for proving the Will of Surber L. Klein, also known as S. L. Klein, deceased, and for hearing the petition of Cleo L. Klein for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same. Reference is hereby made to said petition for further particulars.

Dated March 25, 1954.

R. E. DEEBLE, Clerk
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CONSTABLE
TRUCKEE JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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(Incumbent)
CANDIDATE FOR
Surveyor
NEVADA COUNTY

ELMA HECKER
(Incumbent)
CANDIDATE FOR
Treasurer and Tax Collector
NEVADA COUNTY

W. L. TAMBLYN
(Incumbent)
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TWO BOND ISSUES WILL BE OFFERED NEXT NOVEMBER

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — The assembly has voted to place two bond issues on the November ballot for decision by the people. One would provide $150,000,000 for home loans to California veterans, and the other would make $100,000,000 available to improverishe dschool districts for classroom construction.

The school bond issue bill weathered a persistent attempt by Assemblyman John Collier of Los Angeles to amend into it a formula for equalizing school taxes among counties.

Opponents of Collier's amendment argued they wanted the bond issue to go to the people unencumbered by a complex tax equalization question. After the amendment was defeated, the house voted 64 to 9 to put the $100,000,000 bond issue on the ballot.

The bond issue to support the self-liquidating program for veterans passed unopposed.

Approximately 600 civil service employes are employed in administering and operating the state-owned port of San Francisco.

County Government Gets Largest Portion From Nevada Tax Collections

The county government got the biggest part, 45 per cent, of the property tax levy in Nevada county for the current year, with the school districts of the county taking the next biggest piece, 42 per cent, California Taxpayers' association reported today.

Cities took 11 per cent of the property tax levied in the county for 1953-54, with the levy for special districts in the county amounting to 2 per cent.

Total property tax levied in the county for 1953-54 reached $1,424,139.

Of this, levy for the county government totaled $644,120 this year, for the school districts in the county $602,245, for the cities $158,545, for the special districts $19,229.

State-wide, school districts got 42 per cent—the biggest share—of the $1,034,538,862 property tax levy in California for 1953-54. Share of the counties is 34 per cent, cities 16 per cent, and special districts 8 per cent.

PIER FEE PROBLEM AT TAHOE WILL BE HEARD BY STATE

Property owners around Lake Tahoe opposed to a schedule of rental fees set up by the state for shore land may get a chance to protest at hearings within the next 60 days.

This is reported by Assemblyman Richard McCollister (R of Marin and Sonoma Counties who said he has received complaints from many property owners.

An attorney general's opinion, McCollister explained, concluded all land between high water line and the low water mark of Lake Tahoe, a navigable body of water, belongs to the state.

Based on that opinion, McCollister said, the state lands commission voted to require rent on all installations, such as boat landings and other improvements.

The legislator reported the rent schedule established by the lands commission is $5 a year for each $1,000 of property valuation.

"The commission made a valuation startling to property owners," McCollister stated. "I am recommending the property owners answer notices of the rental assessment with written protests and demanding a hearing where the valuation can be debated.

"The lands commission promises a meeting in the Tahoe area within 60 days and any one who files a protest will be invited to attend the meeting."

Other assemblymen have joined with McCollister in urging lake land owners to make known their objections.

OFFICIAL CLOSING FOR FILING LEAVES SOME UNOPPOSED

Official closing of the filing period for county elective offices yesterday found the following offices to be contested in the June election:

Sheriff — Incumbent Wayne Brown will have as opponent Richard Hoskins.

Supervisor Third District— Incumbent Jay Coughlan will have as opponents Robert M. Vance and Sidney Simpson.

Supervisor Fourth District — Incumbent Guy N. Robinson will be opposed by Ed J. Kohler.

County Surveyor — Incumbent Joseph O'Connor will be opposed by William Carey.

Grass Valley Judicial Township Constable — Incumbent Arthur E. Hammond will face Charles V. Ray.

County Coroner — Incumbent Alvah Hooper will be opposed by Larry Myers. Paul Bergemann did not complete his nomination papers.

District Attorney — Incumbent Vernon Stoll will be opposed by Harold A. Berliner. Attorney Albert Johnson did not complete his nomination papers.

Incumbents Unopposed

Unopposed for reelection this year are County Clerk and Auditor Ralph E. Deeble, County Treasurer and Tax Collector Elma Hecker, County Recorder John Nettell, County Assessor William Tamblyn, County Superintendent of Schools Melville Johns, Public Administrator Ted Kohler, Truckee Township Constable N. F. Dolley, and Nevada City Township Constable William Shipley. With this year's election, Dolley and Shipley will hold six-year terms instead of four as in past years.

Walter P. Fleming, Republican, cross filed for the office of Assemblyman, an office now held by Francis Lindsay, but failed to complete his nomination papers and so becomes ineligible to run.

California ranked third among the states in the production of wool for apparel in 1953.

The flavor of marjoram is distinctively aromatic with a somewhat bitter undertone.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS ARE COSTLY TO ALL, REPORT INDICATES

SACRAMENTO—Here's the way the money goes.

The average California family's share of traffic accident costs amounted to $10 per month during 1953. On a per capita basis, accidents cost each resident of the state $30 per year.

Total economic loss last year is placed at $320,245,000, according to an announcement released by the California Highway Patrol. This total is reached by multiplying $95,000, representing the average cost of one traffic fatality, by the total of 3371 fatalities suffered in traffic collisions in the state last year.

This formula allows for injury and property damage accidents as well, and includes wage losses, medical expenses and professional services, and auto repairs, costs that must be shared among all the people.

"While the loss of human life can never be reduced to terms of dollars and cents, and while there is no possible way of compensating for these tragedies, lives can be saved, painful and permanent injuries can be prevented, and millions of dollars in property damage can be prevented by defensive driving," declared B. R. Caldwell, Commissioner of the Highway Patrol.

"The economic loss in traffic accidents for 1954 has already reached a figure in excess of $50,000,000," he pointed out.

Caldwell suggests that every motorist is going to make a mistake.

NEW POLICY WILL GOVERN PURCHASE OF STATE BUILDING

SACRAMENTO (CNS)— A new policy requiring division of architecture to inspect and approve any building up for state purchase was declared by Governor Goodwin J. Knight.

The governor's declaration came during a press conference when he was asked to comment on the department of finance's proposal that the state sell the Fashion League Building located in Los Angeles.

The building was purchased by the state in 1949 for $450,000. Later, it was determined to be in need of repairs. It has never been used by the state.

The finance department proposed the building be sold because it would cost an estimated $1,700,000 to repair. In the past, the department had its own architect inspect buildings considered for purchase by the state.

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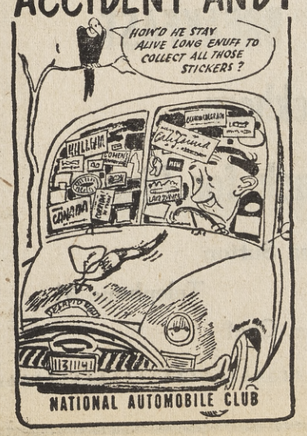

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About $500.00 a month will be saved by Truckee telephone users starting today (April 1) effective date of the excise tax reductions recently voted by Congress, according to H. J. Newsham, local manager of Pacific Telephone.

This will mean cuts in excise, or "sales," taxes on all telephone service from 15 and 25 per cent to 10 per cent. Tax reductions will take place on bills dated April 1 and thereafter.

The largest tax cuts will be on long distance calls costing 25 cents or more, now taxes at 25 per cent. Thus, where telephone users previously paid $2.50 in taxes on $10 worth of long distance calls, they will pay only $1.

Tax reductions also mean that on bills dated on or after April 1 a 1 party residence customer here, who has been paying $4.37 a month, including tax for the exchange service, will pay 19 cents less.

Similarly, an individual line business subscriber who has been paying $6.90 o month, including tax for exchange service, will pay 30 cents less.

Even greater value from your telephone! That's the good news in the Congressional Bill reducing Federal Excise Taxes on April 1. The tax on long distance service was cut from 25% to 10%. And it means quite a saving. If you have a long distance bill of, say, $10.00 a month, on which you used to pay a tax of $2.50, you'll save $1.50 under the new tax rate. Taxes on your local service have been cut, too—from 15% to 10%. And, of course, every penny of the Federal Excise Tax reduction goes directly to you. **Pacific Telephone.**

BUCKHORN OPEN AT KINGS BEACH

KINGS BEACH — Theresa and Tom Sutton this week are announcing the opening of their popular Buckhorn Inn at Kings Beach and the return of Pete Metropole as chef. The latter has been at the Buckhorn for the past 12 years and his recipes have become as famous as the inn itself.

This Sunday the Buckhorn will feature a special Easter breakfast and an equally special dinner menu to mark the formal opening.

The cocktail lounge as well as the dining room is also now ready for the season.

EASTER PARADE SET FOR SUNDAY

SODA SPRINGS—Entry Fee!

One highly decorated Easter hat!

Soda Springs Ski Corporation will hold their annual Easter Giant Slalom Hat Race and Parade on Sunday, April 18. Milt Avila, race director, says, "The decorated Easter hat must be worn during the race and is the only entry fee for the prizes which will be awarded the winners."

Milt Hogle, manager of the corporation, will present prizes to the wearers of the ten best hats in the annual parade down the chair lift hill at noontime, Easter Sunday.

Fran Couilliard, chairman of the Easter party for the Donner Trail Community Club, says "The children of the Donner Trail School, all avid skiers, will participate in an Easter Egg Race on the Soda Springs Hill, after their annual party given during the morning at the Soda Springs Hotel."

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR APRIL, 1954

Thursday, April 1, 1954
Regular Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Board convened at 10:00 o'clock a. m., with all members present. The minutes of the meeting of March 17 were approved and adopted as read by the Clerk.

The Board denied the request of the state game warden for funds from the fish and game propagation fund on the ground that it is the responsibility of the State of California to furnish the supplies requested.

Members of the state fair board appeared and thanked the members for their continued support of the State Fair, and Mr. Kenneth Frey presented each member with an engraved souvenir.

Transfers of funds was legally made as will appear in the minutes in detail.

The Boards advanced June Kelly, Roy F. Waters, Frances M. Foote, Jessie M. Paul and Lavinia M. Taylor one step in the salary range.

The County Superintendent of Schools notified the Board in writing that he is setting a hearing for June 1, 1954, for a hearing on the request to annex the Lake Spaulding area to the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District.

The County Service Officer was granted permission to attend the 6th annual training conference at San Francisco on May 5, 6, and 7, 1954.

A. T. Parsons, Planning Consultant for the County Planning Commission gave the Board a report on the result of his investigations, as to roadside rest sites and stated a detailed report will soon be filed with the Clerk.

The monthly claims were carefully examined and the following allowed for payment from the:

General Fund: Warrants Nos. 13641 to 15171—$115,975.69.

Veterans Buildings Fund: Warrants Nos. 126 to 136—$935.19.

Special Road Improvement Fund: Warrants Nos. 1028 to 1167—$25,933.65.

General Road Fund: Warrants Nos. 116 to 118—$2,317.17.

The Board voted to table a letter from the Sierra Sun requesting an explanation as to why this paper was bypassed with a legal advertisement calling for bids for erection of a county garage in Truckee.

The Farm Advisor reported to the Board that the recent storm damage in the Chicago Park orchard areas does not constitute a disaster area. He promised to make this explanation at the next meeting of the Peardale Farm Center.

The Board voted unanimously to enter an exhibit in the California State Fair and appointed L. G. Lageson to arrange for exhibit space.

The Board tentatively approved a map of the resubdivision of Block "H" of the Grand View Terrace.

The request of C. L. Kirkpatrick for permission to visit the County Hospital at other than visiting hours was referred to the hospital superintendent.

The Clerk was instructed to obtain engineering cost of plans from T. H. McGuire & Sons for a fire escape on the Courthouse and report on April 15.

The Board adopted a resolution opposing the feasibility report of the proposed Washoe project for flood control on the Truckee and Carson Rivers and ordered copies of the resolution printed to be sent to our representatives and others in Washington.

The Board voted permission for each member to attend meetings of the Supervisors Associations in Sacramento and Woodland on April 9th and 10th.

The Board voted unanimously to request all department heads to hand in to the County Auditor their preliminary budgets for the 1954-55 fiscal year by May 1.

The appointment of Margery Worth as a Welfare Worker Supervisor, Grade I, at a salary of $281.00 per month was approved by the Board.

The Board ordered cancellation of 1902-1903 delinquent taxes erroneously assessed to F. M. Dallan and T. J. Laurence.

The State of California having acquired a deed to their property for freeway purposes, the Board ordered the 2nd half of the 1953 taxes cancelled on property assesses to Hafelfinger and Whelan.

The Board approved the annexation of property to the Nevada County Soil Conservation District by adopting a resolution.

No further business, the Board adjourned until Thursday, April 15, 1954, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

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NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE AND MORTGAGE

Notice is hereby given that Eva A. Dohring and Frank Lourence whose address is Skyline Lodge, near Emigrant Gap, State Highway 40, Nevada County, California, intend to sell to Obie Reasoner and Angie Lou Reasoner, his wife, whose address is 301 Second Street, Pleasanton, Alameda County, California, and said Obie Reasoner and Angie Lou Reasoner intend to buy from said Eva A. Dohring and Frank Lourence all that certain furniture, furnishings, bar, supplies, food, kitchen, bar and dining room utensils, fixtures, dishes, cutlery, beds, bedding, and all pumps, pipes, tanks, containers, service station and resort equipment and all personal property of every kind and description located at and used in the activities of said Skyline Lodge situated as herein set forth on said State Highway near Emigrant Gap; a general statement of the character of the merchandise and things sold being as follows: all of the furniture, furnishings, bar, supplies, food, kitchen, bar and dining room utensils, fixtures, dishes, cutlery, beds, bedding and all pumps, pipes, tanks, containers, service station and resort equipment, dry goods, cotton and woolen goods and all other personal property of every kind and description located at said Skyline Lodge and used in the business and activities carried on at the location of said Skyline Lodge.

The purchase price or consideration will be paid at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 26th day of April, 1954, at said Skyline Lodge at its herein set forth address.

And Notice is hereby given that on said 26th day of April, 1954, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a. m. at said Skyline Lodge said Obie Reasoner and Angie Lou Reasoner of said 301 Second Street, Pleasanton, California will mortgage to said Eva A. Dohring and Frank Lourence all of the herein mentioned fixtures, things and personal property of every kind and description.

All of said fixtures, things and personal property, notice of sale and mortgage of which is hereby given, are now located at said Skyline Lodge; and an executed chattel mortgage duly signed and acknowledged by said Obie Reasoner and Angie Lou Reasoner mortgaging all of the fixtures, things and personal property herein mentioned to said Eva A. Dohring and Frank Lourence will be delivered by said Obie Reasoner and Angie Lou Reasoner to said Eva A. Dohring and Frank Lourence and the consideration therefor paid at 11:00 o'clock a. m. of said 26th day of April, 1954, at said Skyline Lodge.

Said Skyline Lodge is situated in said Nevada County in the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty two, township seventeen north, range twelve east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

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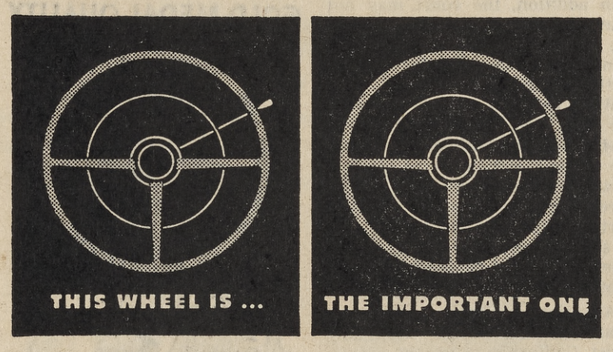

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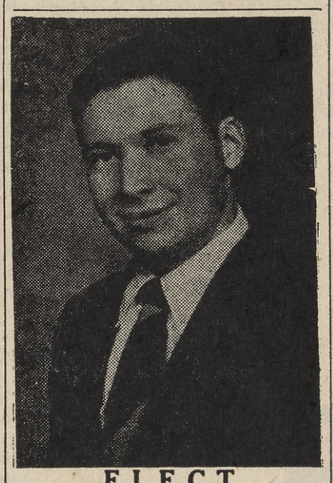

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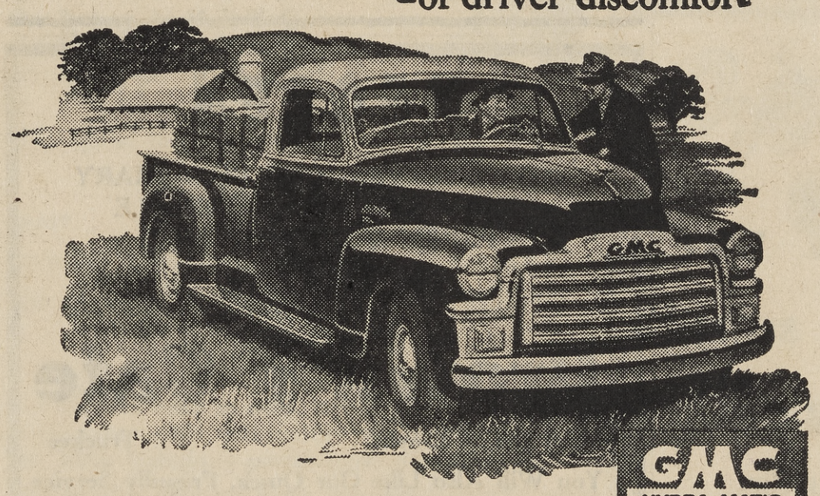

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NORTH TAHOE

by HARRY CHARRISON

The Ladies night of the Lake Tahoe Lions Club was a really delightful affair. A large attendance, with an excellent program, put on by the California Highway Patrol, with Sgt. Ed Freeman and Tom Sheehan representing that body, a very wonderful picture on safety was shown and enjoyed by all. A stunt, very amusing in nature, was put on by the toothless trio, Butch Beavers, Walt Mandeville and Lee Madden. Charles Moore, formerly of the 20-30 club, of Truckee, was inducted as a new member. Cloyd Sipes and Clarence Beavers were back for the first time in months. Guests included Rev. A. B. and Mrs. Conher of Kings Beach Community Church and Ned Malla and the wives of all members.

Bill Ball was program chairman and Mrs. Mel Throop presided.

Just as predicted saw Dave Ashton drive into his home with a load of goods last Saturday afternoon. His first remark was: "Am I ever glad to be back to the lake, away from that thar smog in Southern California."

Well, another Sunday morning service was held at the Wee Kirk of the Pines at Kings Beach. No less than 32 new faces were to be seen, and two new choir members who were a splendid addition. Mrs. Robert Arney and Henry Sams. The church now boasts a new tile flooring. Bill Ahltof and other willing members laid the flooring, assisted by the Pastor. The sermon during the service was delivered by the Rev. A. B. Covher and being Palm Sunday said how Jesus, although he knew that he was going to Jerusalem for the purpose of which we all know, was not afraid. His weeping was not for himself, but for the people. Easter services will be held at the Brockway Theatre, Kings Beach, this Easter Sunday at 11. There will be a children's program preceding the service. We welcome everyone to this service.

On Friday at high noon there will be a pot luck lunch and a meeting to which you are all welcome. Following there will be a short service. Don't forget this is Good Friday, so be on your toes and come.

Had a very surprise visit from Leo and Gertha Ralston from Roseville, who brought some friends to take a look at our beautiful lake. This was on Sunday, and what a beautiful day it was to be sure. So nice we had lunch out on the front porch. Just like summer, believe me.

Well, I see Joe Ross of the Trade Winds, a food and fun center at Kings Beach is back. Joe has opened up already.

We had a surprise visit from our daughter, Margie and husband, Chuck, of Las Vegas. It was sure nice to have them up, especially as our grandchildren were up too. They say they just can't wait 'till they get back to the lake to live.

Among those good citizens of these parts to return, for the summer at least, are Bill and Mrs Wiseman, E. M. and Mrs. Frost. By the way, Mr. Frost had an operation so has some very interesting information about his operation The F. Schultz's, who purchased the Gordon's cottages, are back Saw the Pine Cone fountain and Motel Apartments have opened and will soon be ready for business. Ronnie, son of Roy Porath, is up for Easter vacation, and is he growing!

Oh, yes, and sweet little Susie Lucas is spending Easter with her grandparents in Roseville, and I hear my friend, Henry Lucas, will be back any day from Palm Springs. Yes, and Jack Braden and his two wonderful boys up for the holidays. The boys are really young men now. They tell me a big turkey dinner awaited them last Sunday.

Tom Sutton's Buckhorn Inn and Restaurant is open and in full swing. This is the official meeting place for the telephone workers, who are working on the dial system. Our phone is already to go when the system starts on the 27th day of May.

One of the prettiest wedding ceremonies was solemnized on April 12th at the home of the Harry Charrison's at Kings Beach, when Cornelius Ernest Fair of San Francisco and Jean Rose Lee of Santa Barbara, took the vows before Judge Charrison, who performed the ceremony. Margie Bannon acted as maid of honor to the bride and Charles P. Bannon was best man. The bride wore a beige and brown suit. The happy couple are honeymooning at the lake before returning to San Francisco where they will make their home. They left with the promise to be back at the lake this summer.

Well, a new citizen has made his appearance in onr neighborhood. None other than Calvin John, the brand new son of the Jack Feltes, born April 7th in a Reno hospital and weighing, yes, this is right, nine pounds, one ounce. As Jack says, he is beginning to throw his weight around already. Kay, the proud mother, is home and doing fine. That's three boys and one girl. Congratulations, Jack and Kay.

Our Jeanie Rood will be out of the hospital, after undergoing an operation on her leg, at the Tahoe-Forest hospital. Get well quick, Jeanie.

Special services in all the churches of the region are being programmed for Easter Sunday.

In the Truckee Community Methodist Church, a Sunday School program will be presented at 10 o'clock with Easter music and recitations. Eugene Risden will speak at the church services slated for 11 a. m., and special choir music under the direction of Victor McLean will be offered in two numbers: "God So Loved the World" and "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Him."

Friday evening a pot luck supper will be served at the church at 6:30 o'clock to be followed by a Good Friday Devotional service conducted by Superintendent D. W. Throckmorton. The quarterly conference of the church will be held at the same time.

Easter service in the Catholic Churches at Truckee, Kings Beach and Tahoe City have been announced by Father P. J. O'Niell. Masses will be held at Soda Springs at 8 a. m., at Tahoe City at 8:30, at Kings Beach at 10:30 and at Squaw Valley at 9:30.

High mass will be celebrated at Truckee at 9:30 a. m.

Catholic services for Easter Week began with Spy Wednesday and Holy Thursday will be observed tonight with rosary and a sermon at 8 p. m, and three hours of devotion starting with mass of presanctified at noon will mark Good Friday observance. Holy Saturday ceremonies begin at 8 a. m.

The Sunday school at Tahoe City is presenting an Eastern program at 10 o'clock Sunday featuring special music and a cantata. Rev. Wetmore will conduct the Easter services immediately following.

Rev. Covher will preach the Easter services at the Wee Kirk of the Pines at Kings Beach and there too special music is being planned. More details of the latter services are in the North Tahoe items.

OPPOSE TRANSFER OF SHIP OPERATION

Vigorous opposition to the proposed transfer of Far East troopship operations from San Francisco to Seattle was expressed today by Director of Employment William A. Burkett in telegrams to the Chief of Naval Operations, and the Chief of the Army Transportation Corps.

Burkett said his department will continue to oppose any action by the federal government which would force an increase in unemployment in California. A policy directive was sent yesterday to the department's area managers and local office managers stating the action to be taken when an employer is threatened with the loss of defense work contracts.

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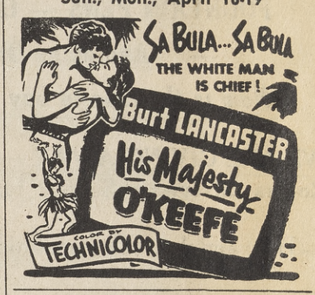

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FRANCIS LINDSAY AGAIN CANDIDATE

Francis C. Lindsay has announced his intention to seek a fourth term as assemblyman from the Sixth Assembly District comprising the counties of Nevada, Placer, El Dorado, Amador, Calaveras, Alpine, Tuolumne, Mariposa, Mono, and Inyo.

In announcing his candidacy for reelection for the fourth time, Lindsay stated:

"Two years pass quickly, and I am again asking for your vote of confidence for the work I have been doing in your behalf in the California Legislature. My support for the continued development and wise use of all our natural resources is well known. I have worked consistently with all the groups in my district interested in wild life development and conservation, for soil conservation, water development, forestry, mining, and recreation. I have assisted the four senators within the Sixth Assembly District in the promotion of better roads, both state and county, and have carried every road bill affecting the district in the assembly since I was first elected.

"I have consistently fought for and won recognition for the fact that our rural schools, in thinly populated areas, have a different problem than that faced by metropolitan areas, and I have consistently supported good legislation affecting the educational problem in California.

"I have recognized the difficult problem of the seasonal worker in my district, and have done my best to see that such workers are not legislated out of their rights. I believe California has one of the finest Veteran programs in America, and I have supported this program without reservation."

Files for Office—

Walter Bretthauer of Reno and formerly of Truckee filed his candidacy for election to the assembly on the Democratic ticket in Nevada.

PAUL LEAKE WILL SEEK ELECTION TO STATE TAX BOARD

Woodland—Sponsored by 120 Republicans and Democrats, the formal declarations of Paul Leake's candidacy in the Third District for the State Board of Equalization were filed here late Wednesday on both major party tickets.

At Leake's request, the petitions were not presented outside of Woodland. "Actually my neighbors since boyhood days know me too well, but since they have vouched for me, the people over the District might take a chance," commented the board official.

"Far be it from my intention to employ a campaign manager or assemble a high-pressure political machine," Leake said. "Nor do I plan to hire ghost writers to think up fancy things to compose about me."

"There will be no irresponsible pitch men hired to blackmail or slander anyone who runs against me—I want no mud pies splattered on my adversaries," added Leake.

"As I have stated repeatedly, I have no patent on integrity, wisdom or courage. The people know whether I can be of service to them—it's that simple."

Leake continued:

"It has been no secret that I promised Chief Justice Warren, when as our Republican governor he crossed party lines to appoint me to the board, that I would run in the June 8 primaries. However, I must acknowledge that I have not acted or talked like anyone trying to perpetuate himself in public office.

"I do not intend to sap anyone for campaign funds."

Before he accepted the unexpected appointment in December, 1952, to the State Board of Equalization, Leake had for 13 years been with the U. S. Treasury Department in a revenue tax and law enforcement capacity as Collector of Customs in the Port of San Francisco.

Leake is a lifelong resident of Woodland. Although he is a Democrat, his daily newspaper is widely known for its politically independent editorial policy.

The state official is a past president of the California Newspaper Publishers Association.

The Board's Third District, now represented by Leake, comprises 25 counties, including Butte, Colusa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mendocino, Modoc, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Yolo and Yuba.

NEW DIVORCE LAW BEING STUDIED BY INTERIM COMMITTEE

SACRAMENTO (CNS) — While the California legislature is working on current matters, such as the state budget of a billion, four hundred million dollars, liquor legislation reform, unemployment insurance benefits increases, and others, some of the interim committees are quietly plugging away at legislation which will be introduced at the 1955 session.

One of these is the interim committee on divorce, headed by Senator Fred H. Kraft, of San Diego, which has two other senators as members, Donald Grunsky, of Watsonville, and A. R. Way, of Eureka.

The committee is holding sessions in Kraft's office during the "time out" periods from current legislative activities, and is giving concentrated study to a measure which will provide for the care of children involved in divorce proceedings.

The proposed measure, which may be worked over some between now and the time the 1955 legislature meets next January, provides that in any interloctory of final decree of divorce, or in any final judgment or decree in action for separate maintenance, the court may compel the party against whom the decree is granted to make such suitable allowances for support of children during their minority.

Courts now have the authority to make such decrees, but the proposal by the Kraft committee contemplates placing funds in trust for maintenance, support, and education of the children.

In the event the funds involved do not exceed $50 per month, the court in its discretion could waive the establishment of a trust, but in other cases, it would be established.

In establishing the trust fund, the proposed bill says, the court must resort to first, community property, second, to the separate property of each party, and third, to the earnings of each or both of the litigants.

The party having custody of the children may be authorized by the court to withdraw from the trust fund such amounts as may be reasonably necessary t osupport, maintain and educate the children, and the person making the withdrawals would be required to render an accounting to the court every six months.

In addition, the court may not take into consideration in awarding attorney fees any amount that is or may be awarded for support of the children.

When children reached majority, the trust fund would be, dissolved on the motion of either party, and the unused portion of the fund, if it was community property would revert equally between the two parties, while the unused portion of separate property and earnings would revert in proportion to the contribution made by the parties.

Adoption of such a measure, Kraft believes would materially assist California courts in providing properly for children who otherwise might suffer in one way or another from neglect on the part of divorced parents.

The measure will be circulated throughout the state, and the opinions of attorneys in the divorce field, as well as the courts, will be obtained before it is handed to the legislature. Whether or not it is adopted, the proposal at least is a step toward making certain that the children of divorce do not suffer monetarily, at least, because of the separation of their parents.

KNIGHT FAVORS HEARST ESTATE

SACRAMENTO (CNS)—Governor Goodwin J. Knight said that he favors state acceptance of the Hearst castle at San Simeon, provided the state will not have to take a loss on the deal.

Commenting on the Hearst Estate's proposal that the state take over the property as a gift, the governor said that even if the state would have to take a little loss, it would be worth it.

Knight called the unique structure and the historical collections it contains "a cultural asset to California."

He said the state park commission, before which the offer is pending, is considering an admission fee as a means of making the mansion self-supporting as a state historical monument.

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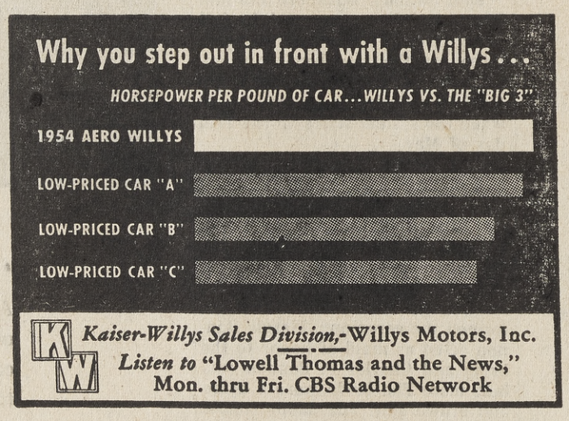
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TAHOE FOREST ACTIVITIES

History of Grazing on the Forest

The supplying of summer forage for sheep and cattle in the high elevation mountain ranges, is an important activity of the Tahoe National Forest. Approximately two-thirds of the forest's lands are used for this purpose.

Grazing has gone on for a good many years—well before the creation of the National Forest system. The first migration to California and Nevada, led to the immediate establishment of large ranches for the purpose of producing livestock for food. At first, they were mainly cattle ranches, but with a fair balance of sheep outfits. However, with the advent of the Civil War, cattle ranches were expanded enormously. After the close of the war, the period of adjustment was rather disastrous for this over-expanded industry. Shortly thereafter, the sheep industry took over the lead and held it for some years.

The long, dry summers in the base ranch areas in Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys and in Western Nevada, together with lack of irrigation and suitable pasture grasses, made it impossible to keep the livestock there year round. Thus, it was a part of the basic economy of the business to migrate to higher elevations to obtain this feed, kept green by melting mountain snows.

In these early days, the mountain areas were a vast unclaimed domain to be had for the mere taking. It was open and free to whoever wanted it; but no one claimed it as there were no roads and no way to earn a living. Today, when we look back on the trials and horrors of the Donner Party, it is easy to understand why this was so.

Being open land meant also that there were no regulations governing its use. Thus, the rancher who got there first, got the feed. If he was lucky this year, that did not mean that he would be the first next year. So, in reality, he had to make as much as he could each year for he never knew how long he could stay in business, as the livestock could not be carried through the summer at the ranches.

Though at first feed was rich and plentiful, each year the tendency was to over use the ranges which caused them to deteriorate. As the population of the West grew, the demands for table meat increased and heavier use was made of the area.

More problems were brought on the graziers when gold was discovered and the great mining industry was born. Civilization was moving into this great open domain, but on the other hand, this industry also brought more customers and more demand for food. Cattle and sheep herds were again increased and as they were, a more intense use of the grass was made. This, in turn, did irreparable damage to the lands and to the ability of the grasses to sustain the same lush meadow conditions.

When the National Forests were created out of this public domain, an immediate problem of adjustment was on hand. Administrators were charged to manage these lands to do the greatest amount of good to the largest number of people over the longest period of time. They were charged also to implement and forever keep alive the philosophy of the multiple use of the National Forest lands—to use each acre for every purpose consistent with the land's ability to produce and the needs of the people.

One can easily imagine the problems on hand to the early forest administrators. Range damage had to be stopped, and a beginning made on the slow healing process. Who had the best right to this use? If the land belonged to all of the people, should not the user pay for the value received? So, a set of regulations considered fair to all were evolved. Rights of priority, rates of charge, etc., considering all economic and individual factors were established. Studies in grasses and land use were instigated; and a stormy road of adjustment was embarked upon to bring the use in balance with feed available.

Today the adjustment is yet not completed, though nearly so. Development of new grasses for irrigated lands in valleys and foothills has helped immeasurably. Irrigation in the foothill ranches has contributed. It will not be long, we hope, until the adjustment is complete in every respect and the forest areas will be producing a sustained yield of summer forage that will last forever and will be in complete harmony with multiple land use.

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Tahoe-Truckee School District News

Editors Note: The following items from the various schools of the district were omitted from last week's Sierra Sun because of lack of space and refer to the activities of the previous week.

Tahoe Lake School

2ND, 3RD AND 4TH GRADES—The children saw some pictures in the "Life" magazine drawn by young Japanese children. These boys and girls drew a picture of what they wanted to be when they grew up. Our class decided to draw similar pictures.

4TH, 5TH AND 6TH GRADES—The room dance held last Friday night in the auditorium was considered very successful. Twenty-two children attended the affair, which was sponsored by Mrs. Briggs. Mrs. Tom Thatcher and Mrs. W. H. Ball also attended the dance.

We have been taking spelling review tests and the following students have had perfect papers: Trent Giannini, JoAnn Pomin, Paul Quartly, Steven Randall, Ellen Rich, Sherry Briner, Roberta Buford, Judy Fanger, Diane Speeter and Sherry Thatcher.

Donner Trail School

We want to thank the librarian, Miss Lawrence, for coming to our school and reading to us, and for bringing us new books.

In the upper group arithmetic we are beginning to study sizes and relative sizes and units of measure.

Truckee Elementary School

KINDERGARTEN — We have been busy decorating our room in the Easter theme. On Thursday we went for a nature walk. We observed signs of spring—birds, growing things, and melting snow.

John Sturcke left Wednesday for a two-week vacation with his parents.

1ST GRADE—We are working addition and subtraction combinations. This week we learned the combination of six. We took a walk on Thursday to look for birds. All the children have been playing in our grocery store this week.

2ND GRADE—On group is reading "Down Singing River."

Sherrian Donnis, Lewis Heil, Eric Scow, Carol Gracik, Jean Wakefield, Sara Van Sickle, Liane Kay, Betty Baysinger, Lois Donaghey, Bruce Falconer, Steve Besio, Robby Kaspian, and Dianne Cardinal have writing papers on "our best work" bulletin board.

3RD GRADE—The third grade went for a hike Friday. Many more signs of spring were found.

Gene McGihon gave a fine report on his recent trip to Oregon.

We are glad to welcome Jeffery Stock back.

Freddie Steele and Margaret Pemberton are back after a siege of flu.

Those making the honor roll in spelling this week were: Linda Elf, Janice Stewart, Janice Eaton, Kathy Curran, Ina Kelley, Pam Rose, Gary Brines, Ginger Barnes, Diane Kaspian, Diane Patton, Ellen Patnoude, Dennis Whitneck, Joey Straub, Jerry Kirby, Darby DeLisle, "Buzz" Drewry and Gene McGihon.

4TH GRADE—New room officers are: Terry Ellis, room hostess; Francie McGwinn, clean-up monitor; Terry Walker, games monitor. Vickie Firpo, Don Breakfield, Charles Glenn, Douglas Falconer, J. C. Roberson and Barry Leamon donned costumes and pantomined "The Wizard of Oz," as Miss O'Brien read it to us.

5TH GRADE—By Judy Giovannoni and Steffie Firpo—The fifth grade has finished a chapter in their social studies, "Making a New Nation." In arithmetic Mrs. Roberson has been teaching us how to borrow in fractions. On April Fool's day Mrs. Roberson gave her class a surprise party. She told the class that she was going to give a social studies test. The directions were: "follow directions carefully. Read the entire test before answering any question." There were six questions. The fifth one was: "Give the date of today. What is it? Are you one?" The same day Mrs. Kay made a cake for us. She called Mike Kaspian up to cut the cake. It was just a pan with frosting on it. We put a hole in her pan.

Mrs. Kay, our room mother, with Mrs. Thornton and Mrs. Faulkner planned the April Fool's party. They served cupcakes and ice cream cups.

6TH GRADE—By Arlene Copeland—We elected new officers. They are: President, Paula Kaspian; vice president, Jim Loynd; secretary, Lydia Craig; treasurer, Marty Kumle. Our old officers were: President, Paula Kaspian; vice president, Stanley Stock; secretary, Susie Scow; treasurer, Diane McGihon.

Margaret Steele celebrated her birthday April 1.

E. L. Loynd, who is a pharmacist, came to the sixth grade to help us with our story of alcohol, narcotics and tobacco.

Kings Beach School

KINDERGARTEN AND 1ST GRADE—All the first graders read a story into our tape recorders last week. The recordings were played back to them and they evaluated what they had done.

Our movie last week was entitled: "Common Animals of the Woods."

Loretta Barnett brought a bird nest for our science corner.

Mrs. Joy Lausche, Darryl's mother, visited our room Wednesday afternoon and made some pictures for us.

Marlea Draney brought her long-playing record of Alice in Wonderland to play on our new three-speed phonograph.

2ND AND 3RD GRADES—This week has been loaded with activity. In social studies, our map group, under the chairmanship of Kris Felte, has completed the Navajo reservation. Our corn planting group, under the chairmanship of Pat Dacus, has planted their Indian corn—the Indian way. The group of children, working on Indian products, has their chart started with a number of products pasted on it. The product chairman is Barbara Croxen, has applied designs to their Indian bowls. man is Margy Mandeville. Our

During art period, Darryl Brook made an Indian chief. Kris Felte completed his Indian dancer and Margy Mandeville made a creative Indian squaw.

Larry Free celebrated his eighth birthday Monday afternoon with his classmates. A cake decorated with horses and cowboys made a very decorative centerpiece for the table. Larry received a flash camera for his birthday, and made use of it at this event. He took pictures of the class sitting around his birthday cake. Mrs. Robert Critchley assisted Mrs. Douglas Free in serving the refreshments. Prize winners, in the games, were: Kris Felte, Gary Wing and Virginia Baker.

We listened to a long playing record on the new phonograph. Larry Mandeville brought his record, "On the Farm" for us to enjoy.

4TH, 5TH AND SIXTH GRADES—Mrs. Sophia Levra has been assisting in preparing our class for the music festival. We have planned three folk dances. Our class won the thrift banner again last week.

Plans have been made for a school newspaper. A name hasn't been chosen as yet for our paper. We have chosen seven departments for the paper, so everyone in the class can take part in getting our paper full of interesting items.

Birthdates

David Cook celebrated his birth date on April 2 with a special cake and gifts for the occasion.

Doyle McGwinn observed his natal date on Saturday with members of his family.

Mrs. Dan Hesse and Mrs. Tony Pace were both feted with decorated cakes and special observances by their respective families on their birth dates which occurred last week.

Mrs. Jack Ellis arranged a surprise party for her husband on his birth date last Saturday. Seven couples enjoyed the evening with the guest of honor.

Strelows Back—

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strelow are preparing their Donner Lake property for summer business, having come from Inglewood where they spent the winter.

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ASA ABBOTT WILL HEAD ROTARY CLUB

KINGS BEACH—Asa Abbott has been elected president of the Rotary Club of Brockway to succeed Dr. Hillard Holmes for the year 1954-55.

Other officers named include W. D. Randall, vice president; E. J. Stokes, secretary, and Everett Campbell, treasurer. The other directors include Dr. Holmes, Tom Sutton and Paul E. Mullis.

The new officers will take up their duties on July 1st.

Several members and their wives are planning on attending the district conference in Sacramento which will be held on April 25, 26 and 27. A big thrill of the conference will be the opportunity of hearing Gen. William F. Dean, who has received nation-wide acclaim for his bravery as a Korean prisoner of war. General Dean will speak at the Sunday night banquet, which will be held in the Governor's Hall instead of the Hotel Senator as was planned.

This change in plans was necessitated by the unexpected number of reservations that are being made for the dinner.

Visits Brother—

Maurice Pedley of Winnipeg, Canada, has been visiting here with his brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pedley.

Near-Summer Weather Is Enjoyed At Tahoe

TAHOE CITY—During the past several days this area has enjoyed warm, summer-like weather and as a result only a few patches of snow remain on the ground.

The lake level stood at 6227.90 feet with only one gate open last Monday.

Temperatures have ranged from a low of 24 Saturday to a high of 55 on Sunday.

Tonsilectomy—

John Goldsmith Jr., underwent a tonsilectomy at Tahoe-Forest Hospital last Friday. Dr. Sidney Kase was the physician.

Capital Man Here—

Paul Doyle of Sacramento is taking the position of Earl Stice with the Southern Pacific Co., while Mr. and Mrs. Stice are vacationing in the vicinity of Long Beach.

Visits in Valley—

Mr. and Mrs. Daven Morey were Sacramento visitors last week.

On Trip—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kay have been on a trip to southern California.

Vaughans Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Vaughan left last week for Los Angeles where they have been visiting.

Live in Sparks—

Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Rourke are now living at Sparks, Nevada.

TWO KILLED IN CAR CRASH ON U. S. 40

EMIGRANT GAP — Charles M. Ferrari, 52, of Rodeo, and Christine Hudson, 28, of San Pablo, were found dead Tuesday in the wreckage of the automobile in which they were driving on U. S. Highway 40 a half mile east of here.

Coroner Francis E. West said the car, headed west, went off the highway, plunged down an embankment and struck a tree, killing both instantly. The couple had been dead for four or five hours when they were found by a passerby at day light.

The coronor said there were no witnesses to the accident and apparently no other vehicle was involved. He added the driver may have fallen asleep or the car was travelling too fast.

The bodies were taken to West's mortuary in Colfax.

NORTH TAHOE

By JUDGE HARRY CHARRISON

The Alfred R. Bettencourts of Silver Sand Resorts were up over the week-end, just to look things over. And say, the way the buildings are going up in Tahoe Vista, th whole lake front will soon be filled up. They will be up to open sooner than they expected.

I hear the Richfield station at bottom of Brockway hill has changed hands, and will soon be opened up with everything that an up to date station has to offer. More about this later.

Mrs. Covher, wife of Rev. A. B. Covher of Kings Beach, has had to give up her actitivies for a while as she came down with nervous exhaustion, brought on by too much enthusiasm and excitement due to the success they have attained since coming to the Community church. We hope it will be of very short duration, as we can't get along without her now.

Christ is risen, hallelujah; Christ is risen within you. A Happy Easter to you all.

Colton Hall in Monterey was built as a schoolhouse in 1848 by Walter Colton, a chaplain in the U. S. Navy, who came to California in 1846.

Lectures on the Columbia River Basin and the powerhouse at Grand Coulee Dam are conducted every day except Christmas.

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Rotary Clubs Assemble At South Tahoe Meet

The Truckee Rotary Club journeyed to State Line last Monday evening for a joint meeting with the Truckee, Tahoe Area Rotary Clubs. The meeting was held at George's Gateway Club. The host club, the South Tahoe Rotary Club, did a bang up job of making everyone feel right at home. The main portion of the entertainment was very capably handled by Kenny Burke and his orchestra.

This was Ladies' Night and at each table, each lady had a lovely corsage to pin on the shoulder of her dress.

Guests included Past District Governor Frank Judy and his wife. Judy was the main speaker for the evening, and gave a very stirring talk on the aims and ambitions of Rotary International.

On Monday evening, the Rotary Club will be the host club for a joint meeting with the Truckee Lions Club and the Truckee 20-30 Club which will be held at the Donner Lake Lodge at 7 p. m. Johnny Ciardella, the club program chairman, has as the principal speaker, Nevada Supreme Court Justice Merrill.

Birthdates

One candle topped the cake made to celebrate the birth date of Patty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Alexander on Tuesday, April 13.

John Street celebrated his natal date on April 12 with his family. Mrs. Street and their daughter Kathy, returned this week from a visit to Roseville and Woodland Gary Waters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waters, enjoyed his birthday anniversary on April 13.

Here From School—

Nona Rae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Coffey, who attends school at Stockton, is spending the Easter vacation with her family.

See New Store—

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rose and daughters are combining business and pleasure this week at Oroville where the Rose Brothers new store is nearing completion.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our appreciation and thanks to our friends for the many thoughtful and kind deeds in our bereavement.

Mrs. J. B. O'Neill and
Judy O'Neill.
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Payne.

JANICE GRAY NOW HEADS SUNSHINERS

Janice Gray was elected royal princess at the Donner Council No. 13 of the Pythian Sunshine Girls at the meeting held April 7 at which Nancy Marquis presided and later became jr. past royal princess.

Sharon Pace, installing officer, was also elected to represent the local group at the grand council to be held at Lodi, July 9-10. Ruth Osborn was elected as alternate representative.

Other officers and their positions are: Janice Notley, charity; Nancy Kaspian, friendship; Shirley Kohl, royal prelate; Janet Allen, royal guide; Dorothea Frey, mystic one; Arlene Copeland, royal warder; Judy Giovannoni, royal sentinel; Donna Songer, royal recorder; Ireda Harris, royal exchequer; Sherri Curran, color bearer; Pearl Heller, royal advisor. Banner girls are Dorette Rose, Shirley Guymer, Susan Scow, Varien Frey.

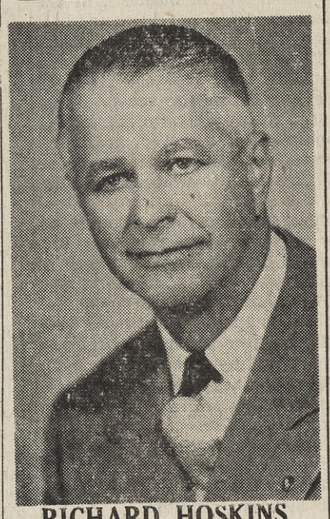
Nancy Marquis served refreshments following the ceremony.

Eye Hurt by Ball—

Moke Kielhofer was treated in Sacramento for minor injuries to his left eye, received when he was struck by a golf ball, according to a report from the capital city.

Name Changed—

The small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Nelson of San Lorenzo has been re-named Susan Marie instead of Candice, the first choice.



RICHARD HOSKINS
Candidate for
SHERIFF
Nevada County

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

April 13, 1954

To Whom It May Concern:

Subject to issuance of the license applied for, and for commencing not less than 15 days after the date posted, notice is hereby given that the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

Highway 28, Kings Beach, California

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance on original application of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

On-Sale General Seasonal Quarterly License

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such licence(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The prices are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

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Fri., Sat., April 16 - 17
GLORY BRIGADE
Victor Mature
Pathe News Selected Shorts

Sun., Mon., April 18 - 19
RHAPSODY
In Technicolor
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Tues., Wed., April 20 - 21
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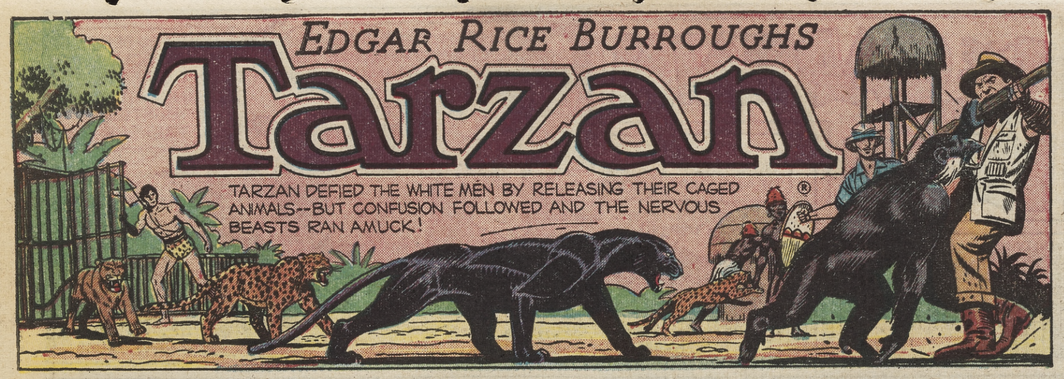
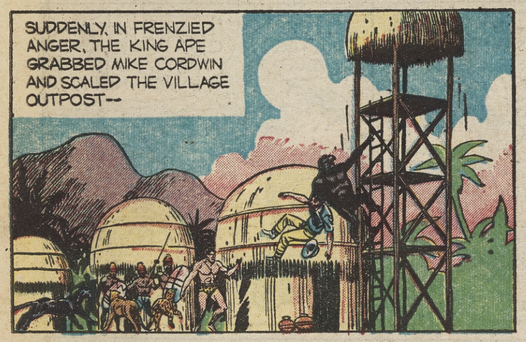
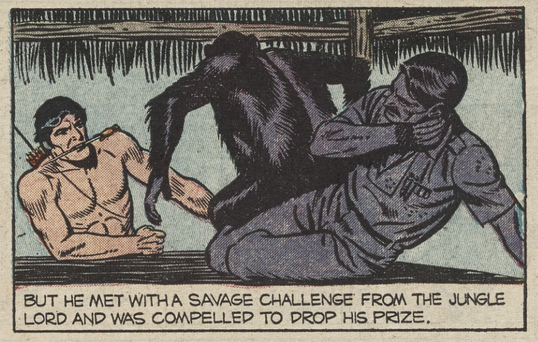
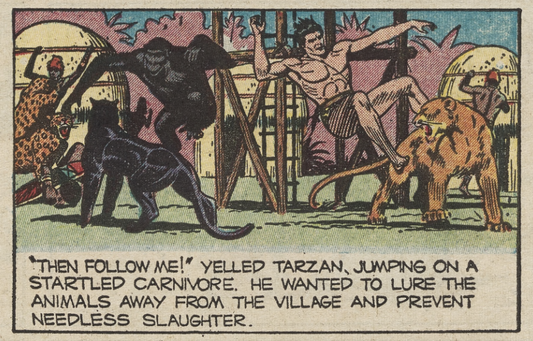
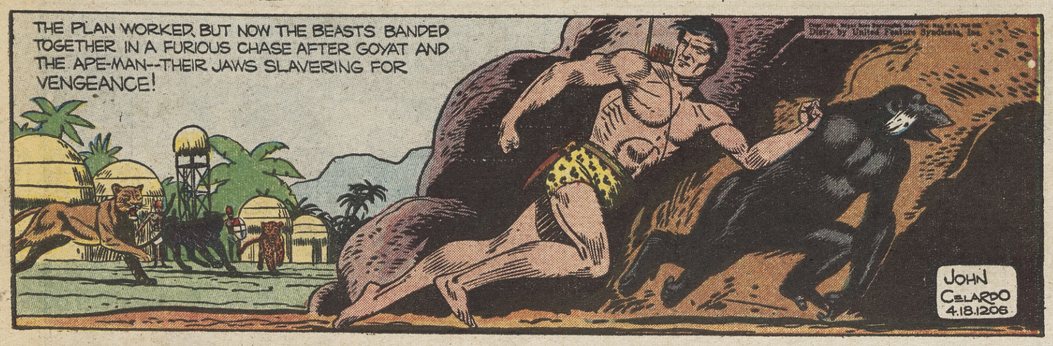






THE APE-MAN, WITH LIGHTNING SWIFTNESS, LOCKED THE ARMS OF GOYAT. "KAGODA!" HE SCREAMED PAINFULLY. "I SURRENDER--AND OBEY THE TARMANGANI!"


"THEN FOLLOW ME!" YELLED TARZAN, JUMPING ON A STARTLED CARNIVORE. HE WANTED TO LURE THE ANIMALS AWAY FROM THE VILLAGE AND PREVENT NEEDLESS SLAUGHTER.


THE PLAN WORKED, BUT NOW THE BEASTS BANDED TOGETHER IN A FURIOUS CHASE AFTER GOYAT AND THE APE-MAN--THEIR JAWS SLAVERING FOR VENGEANCE!
JOHN CELARDO 4.18.1208

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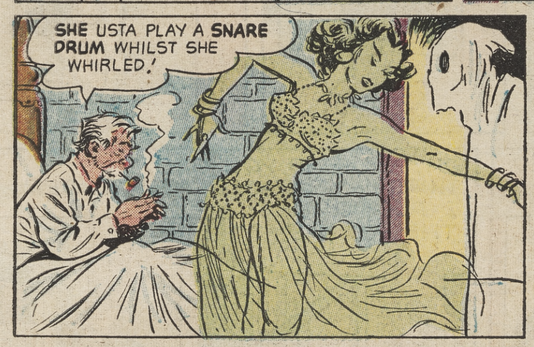
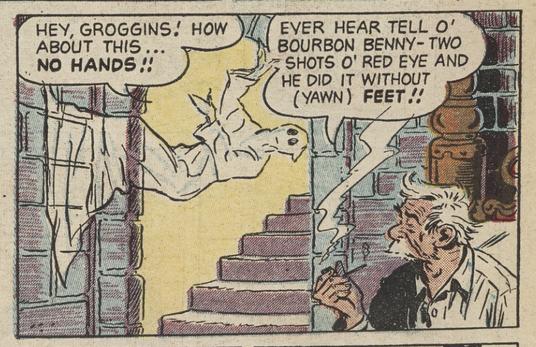
HEY! ACCORDIN' T' DA GHOST'S HANDBOOK, REVISED EDISHUN YER SUPPOSED T' CRUMBLE INTA A WET, SOGGY MESS, PLEADIN' PITIFULLY FER YER MISERABLE LIFE T'BE SPARED! AFTER ALL, PAL, YER SEEIN' GHOSTS!
PROVE IT, BUDDY!

YOU DON'ASK GHOSTS T' PROVE THEY'RE GHOSTS, YOU GOTTA TAKE THEM ON FAITH! THAT CORRECT, MABEL?
FRANKLY, THIS SITUATION NEVER CAME UP BEFORE!

LET'S FACE FACTS, KIDS. IF YER JOB IS T'SCARE ME T' DEATH, YOU AIN'T GOT A (CHUCKLE) GHOST O'A CHANCE O' DOIN' IT WITHOUT PROVIN' YOU GOT SUPERNATURAL POWERS!

TELL ME THE TRUTH, GROGGINS, HAVE YOU EVER SEEN ANY OTHER GIRL WHO CAN WHIRL LIKE A TOP, WITH SMOKE COMING OUT OF HER EARS?
IT'S PLAIN T' SEE YOU AIN'T NEVER BEEN IN "BABOON BABY'S", SOUTH SIDE O' SINGAPORE. ONLY DIFFERENCE IS...





THIS ONE NEVER FAILED ME BEFORE..
IT'LL (CHOKE) SCARE EVEN A PRO LIKE ME, MABEL!!
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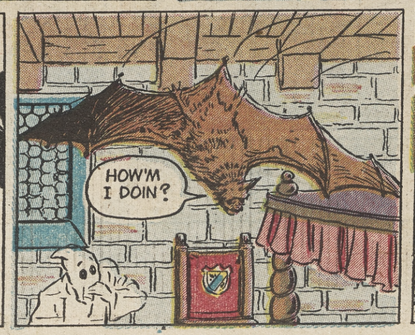

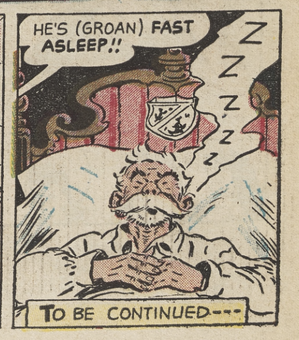

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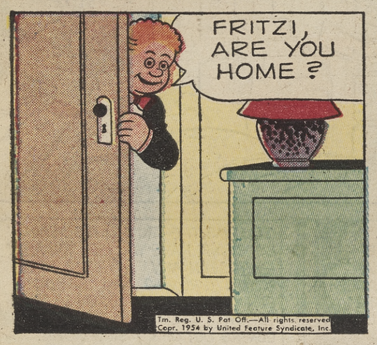

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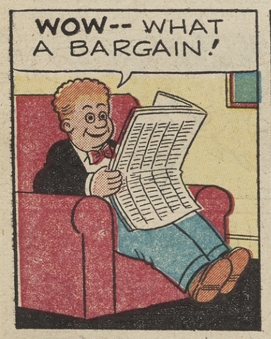
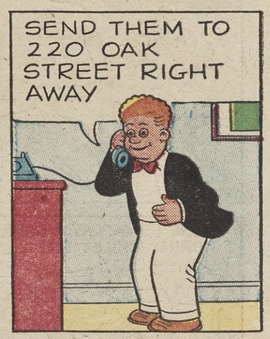
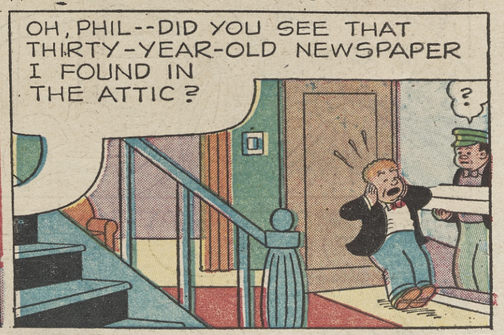
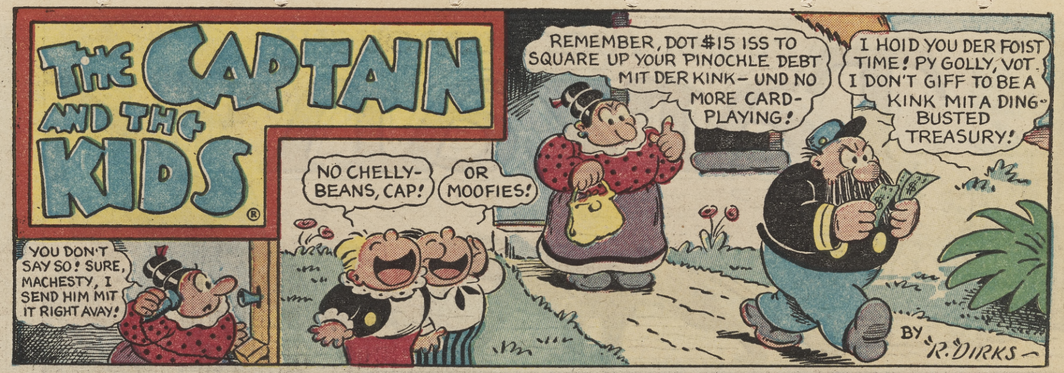
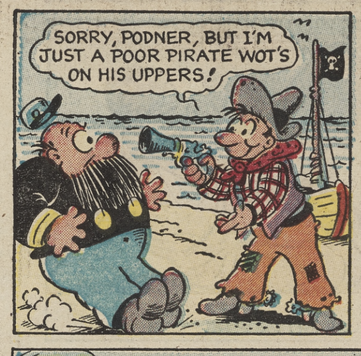


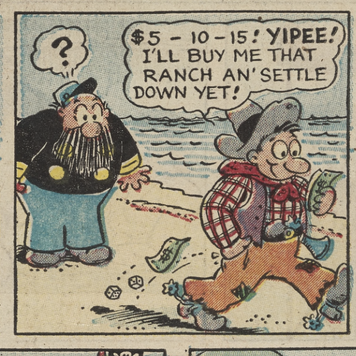


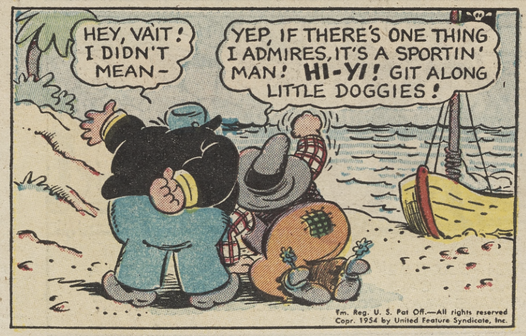


THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS®


YOU DON'T SAY SO! SURE, MACHESTY, I SEND HIM MIT IT RIGHT AVAY!
NO CHELLY-BEANS, CAP!
OR MOOFIES!
REMEMBER, DOT #15 ISS TO SQUARE UP YOUR PINOCHLE DEBT MIT DER KINK- UND NO MORE CARD-PLAYING!
I HOID YOU DER FOIST TIME! PY GOLLY, VOT. I DON'T GIFF TO BE A KINK MIT A DING-BUSTED TREASURY!
BY R. DIRKS







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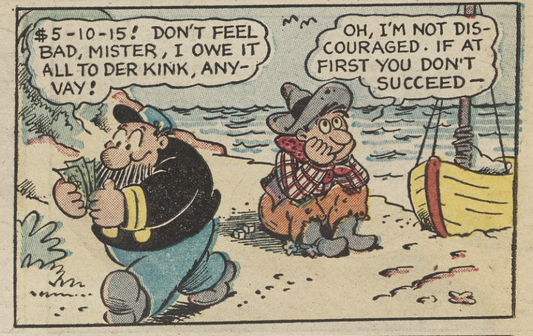
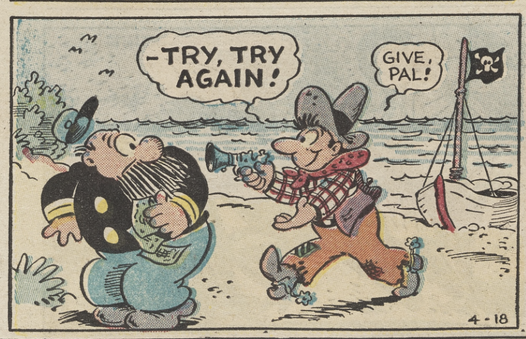




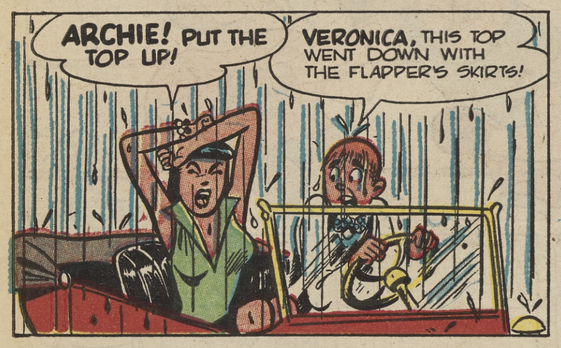
SETTLE UP YOUR PINOCHLE DEBT WITH THE KING, YOU SAY? JUST DROP IT RIGHT HERE IN THE ROYAL TREASURY, CAPTAIN!
I.O.U. $15
HEY, CAP-PSS-ST!

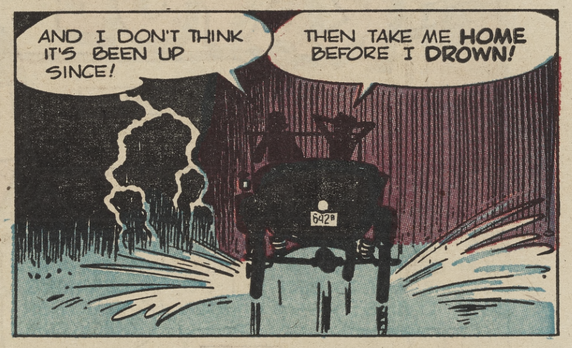
REMEMBER, DOT #15 ISS TO SQUARE UP YOUR PINOCHLE DEBT
I HOLD YOU DER FOIST TIME & DAT'S ALL YOT

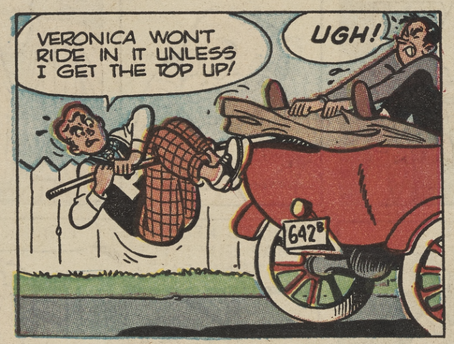
I'LL GO UPSTAIRS AND DRESS--PHIL

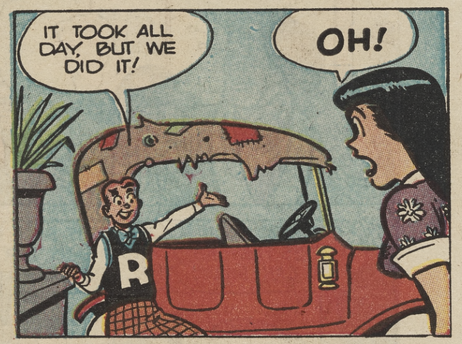
Archie

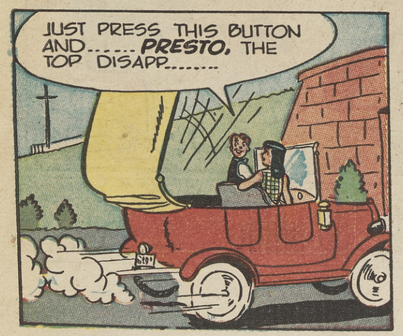
by BOB MONTANA

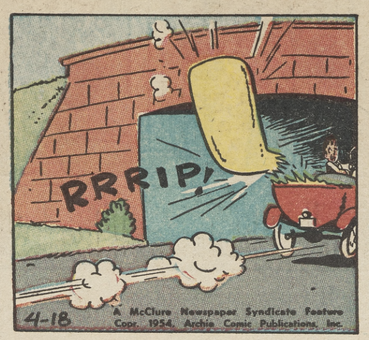












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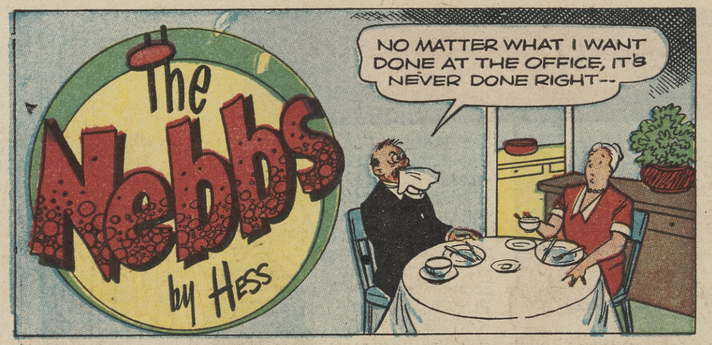

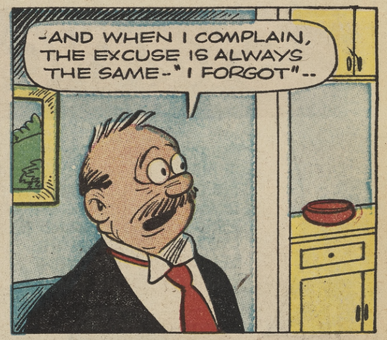

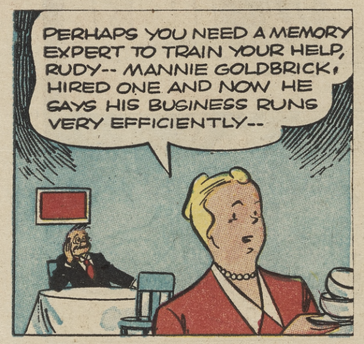
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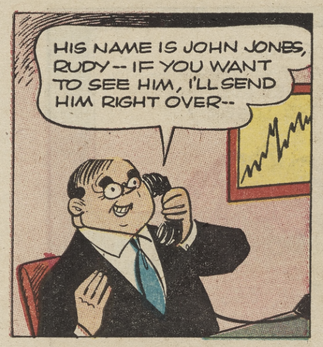

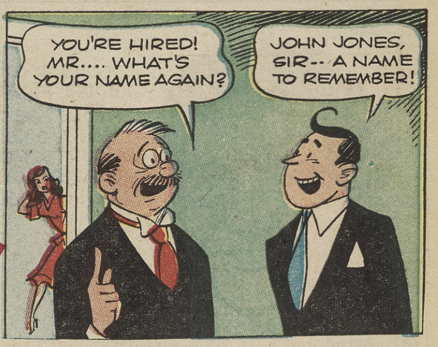

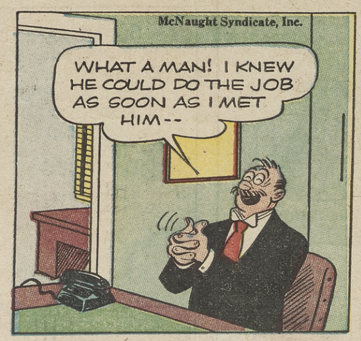

STRANGE as it seems — by ELSIE HIX

THE TRADITIONAL EASTER GAME OF HIDING EGGS AND HAVING THE CHILDREN LOOK FOR THEM STEMS FROM THE ANCIENT SAXON CUSTOM OF SCATTERING EGGS OVER THE FIELDS IN THE BELIEF THAT IT BROUGHT FERTILITY TO THE LAND!

THE **PASSION PLAY**, WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS, HAS BEEN PERFORMED EVERY TEN YEARS FOR THE PAST **321** YEARS AT OBERAMMERGAU, *Germany*. THE VILLAGERS MADE A VOW IN 1633 TO COMMEMORATE THE PASSION OF CHRIST BECAUSE THEY HAD BEEN SAVED FROM A PLAGUE THAT WAS RAGING NEARBY...

THE VOW HAS NEVER BEEN BROKEN...

OPALS HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO FALL TO PIECES IF EXPOSED TO A SUDDEN TEMPERATURE CHANGE!

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SONG STYLIST **EDDIE FISHER**, AT THE AGE OF 7, WON A SINGING CONTEST IN COMPETITION WITH 12 LITTLE GIRLS!

IN 1643, THE ROUNDHEAD PARLIAMENT ABOLISHED THE OBSERVANCE OF *EASTER*!

SPOILS OF WAR! FEMALE ENGLISH WOLF SPIDERS FIGHT TO DEATH, THE WINNER THEN ADOPTING THE FAMILY OF THE LOSER!

SUGAR CANE ORIGINATED IN INDIA, WAS SHIPPED TO EUROPE, AND PLANTED IN AMERICA, BEFORE IT WAS INTRODUCED TO HAWAII AND THE PHILIPPINES ...

CURLY KAYOE

by SAM LEFF

WHAM!

YAHOO! THAT'S PERFECT, CURLY!

I QUIT, FELLAS! I'M GONNA FIND AN EASIER WAY TO EARN A LIVING!

WHAT WILL I DO, JOE?

WE'VE GOT TO GET A NEW SPARRING PARTNER QUICK, CURLY.

I'LL CALL BILLY GORE! HE'S BEEN LOOKING FOR WORK!

HI, JOE! I GOT HERE AS SOON AS I COULD!

SWELL, BILLY! CURLY'S TRYING TO DEVELOP A NEW KNOCKOUT PUNCH!

GET INTO YOUR THINGS FAST AS YOU CAN, BILLY!

BE RIGHT BACK AND READY FOR ACTION, JOE!

WHAT'S KEEPING THAT GUY? IT'S GETTING LATE!

I THINK HE'S COMING NOW!

JOE... **LOOK!**

WHAT TH...? WHAT'S THE IDEA OF WEARING **PAJAMAS**, BILLY?

SAM LEFF

I FIGURE CURLY'S GONNA PUT ME TO SLEEP AND I WANNA BE AS COMFY AS POSSIBLE!

HA-HA! BILLY BELONGS IN A **CIRCUS** RING!!

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